

Los Angeles Co., Calif. Coroner.
Report [annual] 1930/31

REPORT OF
FRANK A. NANCE, CORONER
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
JULY 1, 1930 - JUNE 30, 1931

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THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,
HALL OF RECORDS,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith a statistical report covering the operations of the Coroner's Department for the fiscal year 1930 - 1931.

The accompanying schedules present an accurate analysis of the work performed during this period, in which the number of cases of sudden and violent death was eight and two-tenths percent greater than during the preceding fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank A. Nance
CORONER, County of Los Angeles

REPORT OF FRANK A. NANCE
LOS ANGELES COUNTY CORONER
FOR FISCAL YEAR, 1930-1931.

JULY 1930	366	
AUG 1930	330	
SEPT 1930	333	
OCT 1930	366	
NOV 1930	427	
DEC 1930	453	
JAN 1931	460	
FEB 1931	350	
MAR 1931	397	
APR 1931	349	
MAY 1931	395	
JUNE 1931	<u>377</u>	
	TOTAL	<u><u>4603</u></u>
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MALE	3094	
FEMALE	1508	
SKELETON: SEX NOT DETERMINED	<u>1</u>	
	TOTAL	<u><u>4603</u></u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	3046	
IN CO. OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	<u>1557</u>	
	TOTAL	<u><u>4603</u></u>

CLASSIFICATION OF DEATHS HANDLED BY CORONER

ABORTIONS	33
AEROPLANE	25
ALCOHOLISM	69
ANIMAL INJURIES	2
ASPHYXIATION	26
BURNS	74
CRUSHING	6
DROWNING	61
ELECTRIC RAILWAY	30
ELECTROCUTION	2
FALLS	118
FIREARMS	14
HOMICIDES	126
INDUSTRIAL	122
INFECTION	19
MISCELLANEOUS	21
MOTOR VEHICLE	813
NATURAL CAUSES	2396
POISONING	14
PREMATURE BIRTHS	19
STRAIR RAILWAY	12
STILLBORN	33
STRANGULATION	4
SUFFOCATION	5
SUICIDES	522
UNKNOWN CAUSES	<u>37</u>

TOTAL

4603

Number of cases handled in Los Angeles City	3046	
Number of cases handled in L.A. Co, outside of Los Angeles City	1557	
		<u>4603</u>
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Number of Autopsies performed	3849	
Number of Investigations made	754	
		<u>4603</u>
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Number of microscopic Examinations	465	
Number of Bacteriological Examinations	68	
Number of blood tests for Carbon Monoxide	11	
Number of gross specimens prepared for evidence etc.	114	
Number of cases handled in Pathological Labarotory	290	
Number of chemical tests necessary for above cases	3591	
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Number of bodies embalmed at Coroner's Mortuary	2330	
Number of bodies of minors embalmed (under 14 years)	177	
Number of bodies of indigent persons embalmed	339	
Number of bodies embalmed by Undertakers before delivery to Coroner's Mortuary	83	
Number of bodies brought to Coroner's Mortuary which were not Coroner's cases	15	
Total number of bodies handled at Coroner's Mortuary	2413	
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Number of bodies of indigent persons buried or cremated by Coroner	186	
Number of bodies of indigent persons buried by Charitable Institutions	34	

Miles traveled to conduct Inquests and Investigations	15,267
Miles traveled by Surgeons to perform Autopsies and to appear as witnesses	27,511
Miles traveled by ambulances transporting bodies	12,743
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Number of Jurors summoned	4,791
Number of witnesses subpoenaed to testify at Inquests	6,403
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Number of transcripts prepared (Jury cases)	1,017
Number of 'Verdict of Coroner' and autopsy findings prepared (No Jury cases)	2,812
Number of transcripts filed with County Clerk	1,017
Number of 'No Jury' cases filed with County Clerk	2,812
Number of transcripts prepared and sold	743
Number of transcripts delivered to District Attorney	253
Number of pages of testimony typewritten	16,718
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Number of Estates delivered to Public Administrator	111
Number of Estates of deceased persons administered by Coroner, under Section 4144, Political Code.	
Estates amounting to less than \$75.00	5

AUTOPSIES

	CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
JULY 1930	153	124	277
AUG 1930	174	95	269
SEPT 1930	150	112	262
OCT 1930	159	121	280
NOV 1930	213	132	345
DEC 1930	219	140	359
JAN 1931	255	128	383
FEB 1931	174	125	299
MAR 1931	216	141	357
APR 1931	176	141	317
MAY 1931	227	138	365
JUNE 1931	209	127	336
TOTAL	2325	1524	3849

AUTOPSIES BY	CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
DR. A. F. WAGNER	646	29	675
DR. F. R. WEBB	8	1417	1425
DR. J. H. SCHAEFER	1671	78	1748
TOTAL	2325	1524	3849

TOTAL AUTOPSIES PERFORMED IN LOS ANGELES CITY	2325
TOTAL AUTOPSIES PERFORMED IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	<u>1524</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>3849</u></u>

INQUESTS

		CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
JULY	1930	30	26	56
AUG	1930	42	30	72
SEPT	1930	45	40	85
OCT	1930	44	47	91
NOV	1930	57	45	102
DEC	1930	59	32	91
JAN	1931	68	34	102
FEB	1931	33	38	71
MAR	1931	48	39	87
APR	1931	62	17	79
MAY	1931	51	38	89
JUNE	1931	53	39	92
TOTAL		592	425	1017

INQUESTS IN LOS ANGELES CITY

592

INQUESTS HELD IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY
OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY

425

TOTAL

1017

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

		MOTOR VEHICLES	ELECTRIC RY	STEAM RY	TOTAL
JULY	1930	53	1	2	56
AUG	1930	52	5	1	58
SEPT	1930	58	3	1	62
OCT	1930	72	1	1	74
NOV	1930	79	0	4	83
DEC	1930	87	3	1	91
JAN	1931	77	3	1	81
FEB	1931	57	1	0	58
MAR	1931	72	7	0	79
APR	1931	62	3	0	65
MAY	1931	71	2	1	74
JUNE	1931	73	1	0	74
TOTAL		813	30	12	855

MOTOR VEHICLE	813
ELECTRIC RAILWAY	30
STEAM RAILWAY	<u>12</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>855</u></u>

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

MOTOR VEHICLES

JULY	1930	53	
AUG	1930	52	
SEPT	1930	58	
OCT	1930	72	
NOV	1930	79	
DEC	1930	87	
JAN	1931	77	
FEB	1931	57	
MAR	1931	72	
APR	1931	62	
MAY	1931	71	
JUNE	1931	<u>73</u>	
TOTAL			<u>813</u>
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MALE		575	
FEMALE		<u>238</u>	
TOTAL			<u>813</u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES		464	
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY		334	
OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CO. DEATH OCCURRING IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY		<u>15</u>	
TOTAL			<u>813</u>
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AGES			
Less than 1 year		3	
1 to 2 years		11	
2 to 5 years		23	
5 to 10 years		31	
10 to 20 years		80	
20 to 45 years		281	
45 to 65 years		215	
65 and over		<u>169</u>	
TOTAL			<u>813</u>

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

MOTOR VEHICLES

NATURE

PEDESTRIAN-	
Auto and pedestrian	322
Truck and pedestrian	24
Truck trailer and pedestrian	1
Taxi and pedestrian	3
Auto or truck and pedestrian	3
Motorcycle and pedestrian	2
Bicycle and pedestrian	2
Auto and skater	1

TOTAL PEDESTRIAN FATALITIES

358

At intersections	169
Other than intersections	189
TOTAL	<u>358</u>

COLLISION AND MISCELLANEOUS FATALITIES-

Auto and Electric Railway	36
Auto and Steam Railway	17
Truck and Electric Railway	6
Motorcycle and Electric Railway	3
Truck and Steam Railway	2
Auto and Auto	180
Auto and Taxi	2
Auto and truck	43
Truck and truck	3
Auto and motorcycle	11
Auto and bicycle	11
Auto and tricycle	2
Auto and bus	1
Auto and buggy	1
Auto and scooter	2
Auto and coaster	1
Truck and motorcycle	1

COLLISIONS (Continued)-

Truck and bicycle	2	
Truck and bus	1	
Truck trailer and bicycle	1	
Auto and pole	17	
Auto and tree	16	
Auto and guard rail	4	
Auto and embankment	2	
Auto and curb	4	
Auto and culvert	1	
Auto and wall	2	
Auto and post	3	
Auto and house	3	
Auto and boulder	1	
Auto and bridge	1	
Truck and tree	1	
Motorcycle and wall	1	
Motorcycle and house	1	
Auto driven off pier	2	
Autos overturned	55	
Truck overturned	4	
Truck trailer overturned	1	
Falls from vehicles	<u>10</u>	
TOTAL COLLISION AND MISCELLANEOUS FATALITIES		<u>455</u>
At intersections	282	
Other than intersections	<u>173</u>	
TOTAL	<u>455</u>	
GRAND TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES		<u>813</u>

MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES

HELD RESPONSIBLE BY CORONER'S JURY

Male drivers	233
Female drivers	19
Unknown drivers	28
Both drivers	1
Driver and train crew equally negligent	7
Jury undecided as to responsibility	1
Struck by driverless cars	2
Train crew	2

EXONERATED BY CORONER'S JURY

Male drivers	341
Female drivers	33
Train crews	56
Bicyclist	1

CASES IN WHICH NO INQUEST BEFORE A JURY WAS HELD

Male drivers	81
Female drivers	8

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

MOTOR VEHICLES

CAUSES

PEDESTRIAN-

Crossing street not at intersection	75
Crossing street carelessly	93
Playing in street	4
Running in street	24
Walking in street	17
Pedestrian confused by traffic	12
Stepped from safety zone in path of auto	3
Stepped in front of truck	1
Thrown from auto; struck by auto	1
Falls in front of vehicle	3
Struck by driverless car	2
Wheel came off auto, struck pedestrian	1
Fell of running board; run over by truck	1
Truck ran into gate opened by deceased	1
At work on roadway; repairing tire	4
Backing	13
Drove through safety zone	3
Intoxication	3
Incompetent handling	40
Reckless driving	50
Trying to board driverless truck	1
Racing car struck rail; rail struck pedestrian	1
Unknown cause; found lying in street	<u>5</u>

TOTAL PEDESTRIAN FATALITIES

358

COLLISION AND MISCELLANEOUS FATALITIES-

Incompetent handling	58
Intoxication	23
Exceeding speed limit	54
Reckless driving	79
Driving on wrong side of road	8
Glaring headlights	1

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

MOTOR VEHICLES

CAUSES (Continued)

Right of way violated	83
DEFECTIVE EQUIPMENT-	
Wheels	4
Brakes	4
Steering gear	5
Skidding	10
Depression in roadway	5
Passing on curve	1
Trying to avoid collision	13
Lost control	20
Tire blow out	7
Wheel caught in rut	1
Failed to make turn in road	1
Car driven off pier	2
Motorist's negligence at Ry crossing	53
Driver asleep	3
Weather condition (Fog)	1
View obstructed	1
Truck parked in street	1
Fell from truck while hitching ride	1
Improper riding of vehicles	7
Car struck high tension pole; electrocuted	1
M.C. wheel caught in street car track	1
Trailer detached from truck; struck auto	1
Trying to board driverless truck	1
Truck crushed foot; tetanus developed	1
While engaged in racing contest	2
Driver confused by traffic	1
Physical defects (Nearly blind)	1

TOTAL COLLISION AND MISCELLANEOUS FATALITIES

455

TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES

813

TRAFFIC FATALITIES
ELECTRIC RAILWAY

JULY	1930	1	
AUG	1930	5	
SEPT	1930	3	
OCT	1930	1	
NOV	1930	0	
DEC	1930	3	
JAN	1931	3	
FEB	1931	1	
MAR	1931	7	
APR	1931	3	
MAY	1931	2	
JUNE	1931	<u>1</u>	
TOTAL			<u><u>30</u></u>
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MALE		19	
FEMALE		<u>11</u>	
TOTAL			<u><u>30</u></u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES		26	
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY		<u>4</u>	
TOTAL			<u><u>30</u></u>
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AGES			
2	to 5 years	1	
5	to 10 years	1	
10	to 20 years	1	
20	to 45 years	5	
45	to 65 years	7	
65	and over	<u>15</u>	
TOTAL			<u><u>30</u></u>

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

STEAM RAILWAY

JULY	1930	2
AUG	1930	1
SEPT	1930	1
OCT	1930	1
NOV	1930	4
DEC	1930	1
JAN	1931	1
FEB	1931	0
MAR	1931	0
APR	1931	0
MAY	1931	1
JUNE	1931	<u>0</u>

TOTAL

12

MALE

12

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	6
IN CO. OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	5
OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CO. DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A.CO.	<u>1</u>

TOTAL

12

AGES

20	to	45	years	4
45	to	65	years	4
65	and	over		<u>4</u>

TOTAL

12

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

ELECTRIC RAILWAY

CAUSES

Crossing right of way carelessly	17
Walking on right of way	6
Playing on right of way	1
Pedestrian confused by traffic	2
Alighting from street car	1
Fell from street car due to fainting	1
Leaned out of window; struck head against signal tower	1
Incompetent handling by motorman	<u>1</u>

TOTAL ELECTRIC RAILWAY FATALITIES

30

NUMBER OF STREET CARS INVOLVED 19

NUMBER OF INTERURBAN TRAINS INVOLVED 11

TOTAL

30

STEAM RAILWAY

CAUSES

Walking on right of way	7
Sleeping on right of way	1
Crossing right of way carelessly	2
Run over while switching	1
Attempting to board moving freight train	<u>1</u>

TOTAL STEAM RAILWAY FATALITIES

12

HELD RESPONSIBLE BY CORONER'S JURY

Electric train crew 1

EXONERATED BY CORONER'S JURY

Electric train crew 29

Steam Railway crew 12

TOTAL

42

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

MOTOR VEHICLES

LOCATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES WHICH OCCURRED OUTSIDE OF
LOS ANGELES COUNTY, DEATH OCCURRING IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

DATE	LOCATION
JUNE 29 1930	SIMI, VENTURA COUNTY
JULY 4 1930	20 MILES NORTH OF ENSENADA, MEXICO
JULY 5 1930	ANAHEIM ROAD, NEAR GARDEN GROVE, ORANGE COUNTY
MAY 17 1930	GUASTI, SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY
? 1928	TWO MILES EAST OF BAKERSFIELD, KERN COUNTY
AUG. 20 1930	12 MILES SOUTH OF LONE PINE, INYO COUNTY
SEPT 28 1930	VENTURA BLVD, NEAR MOOR PARK, VENTURA COUNTY
JAN 4 1931	MAIN BLVD IN LA HABRA, ORANGE COUNTY
FEB. 22 1931	HIGHWAY NEAR BIG PINES, SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.
APR. 4 1931	ON NORTH STREET, TAFT, CALIF.
APR 10 1931	1½ MILES SOUTH OF MOJAVE, KERN COUNTY
APR 28 1931	ALAMITAS, CALIF., ORANGE COUNTY
MAR ? 1931	MUTLER, MISSOURI
MAY 5 1931	STATE HIGHWAY, 15 MILES WEST OF SELIGMAN, ARIZONA
JUNE 22 1931	IN FRONT OF 108 COAST AVE. SUNSET BEACH, ORANGE CO.

INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

JULY	1930	9
AUG	1930	14
SEPT	1930	14
OCT	1930	13
NOV	1930	15
DEC	1930	3
JAN	1931	8
FEB	1931	12
MAR	1931	6
APR	1931	8
MAY	1931	8
JUNE	1931	<u>12</u>

TOTAL	<u><u>122</u></u>
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MALE	121
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FEMALE	<u>1</u>
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TOTAL	<u><u>122</u></u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	67
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IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	51
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OUTSIDE OF L. A. CO., DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO.	<u>4</u>
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TOTAL	<u><u>122</u></u>
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AGES

10	to	20	years	3
20	to	45	years	81
45	to	65	years	34
65	and	over		<u>4</u>

TOTAL	<u><u>122</u></u>
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INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

NATURE

Asphyxiation	2
Burns	22
Crushing	25
Drowning	3
Electrocution	5
Falls	34
Infection	12
Miscellaneous	10
Machinery	6
Suffocation	<u>3</u>

TOTAL

122

INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

CAUSES

ASPHYXIATION-

Fumes from hold of ship	2
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BURNS-

Gasoline ignited due to carelessness in handling	1
Gasoline ignited from static spark	1
Clothing ignited by burning asphalt	1
Oil in tank ignited by welding torch	1
Oil ignited from warning lamp	1
Gasoline ignited at treating plant	1
Gasoline ignited by acetylene torch	1
Explosion of gas in pipe being repaired	1
Gas exploded by welding torch	2
Explosion of dust in floss blower	1
While fighting brush fire	1
During fire at oil well	1
Explosion while gauging oil in tank	1
Explosion of gas; break in line	2
Explosion of oil furnace	1
Fell into vat of lye	1
Fell into solution of sulphuric acid	1

Fell into vat of hot asphaltum	1	
Explosion of Carbide lamp in tunnel	1	
Bursting safety valve on pipe line	1	
TOTAL		22
CRUSHING-		
Caught between elevator and shaft	1	
Caught in cave in; improper shoreing	1	
Struck by falling chain	1	
Caught between two road rollers	1	
Struck by block on crane	1	
Struck by swinging quadrant aboard ship	1	
Struck by falling pipe	2	
Struck by hammer on pile driver	1	
Struck by falling gin pole	1	
Caught by land slide in tunnel	1	
Struck by sling load of steel	1	
Struck by counter weight on elevator	1	
Caught under falling oil tank	1	
Caught by cave in of sub basement	1	
Struck by clutch lever on oil rig	1	
Struck by iron tong	1	
Struck by electric hoist	1	
Struck by falling mast	1	
Struck by falling door	1	
Struck by skip on concrete mixer	1	
Cave in of tunnel; improper shoreing	1	
Caught in machine belt	1	
Struck by sling load of lumber	1	
Struck by clam shell on shovel	1	
TOTAL		25
DROWNING-		
Overcome by gas while in sewer	2	
Fell into tank of water; no safety guards	1	
TOTAL		3

ELECTROCUTION-	1	
Working on transformer	1	
Cleaning insulator	1	
Wire torn down by crane	1	
Contact with energized switch	1	
Contact with grounded live wire	1	
TOTAL		5

FALLS-	1	
From ladder; no safety device	1	
From side of tank	1	
Down elevator shaft	2	
From oil derrick	3	
From building under construction	1	
From roof while repairing same	1	
From scaffold; defective wire	1	
Down elevator while rescuing boy (Fireman)	4	
From scaffold; faulty construction	1	
From pole; no safety belt	1	
While working on sling load of lumber	1	
Stepped into open elevator shaft	2	
While washing windows	1	
Fell into grease pit	2	
Slipped and fell from scaffold	1	
From ladder; making repairs	1	
With elevator; broken hoisting equipment	1	
To floor; epileptic fit. (Watchman)	1	
From scaffold while painting	1	
From engine while oiling	1	
From beam on rock crusher	1	
From building; no safety device	1	
Down hatch aboard ship	1	
From building while painting	1	
To floor from elevator	1	
From roof; due to rough sheeting	1	
TOTAL		34

INFECTIONS-		
Cut hand on saw; gangrene developed	1	
Injured foot; tetanus developed	1	
Stepped on nail; septicemia developed	1	
Exposed to fumes; septicemia developed	1	
Bruised leg; septicemia developed	1	
Bruised lip; septicemia developed	1	
Injured finger; septicemia developed	1	
Sliver in thumb; septicemia developed	1	
Bruised foot; septicemia developed	1	
Hurt in oil field; septicemia developed	1	
Injured hand on press; tetanus developed	1	
Burned on vulcanizer; septicemia developed	1	
TOTAL		12
MISCELLANEOUS-		
Struck by rock; while filming picture	1	
Developed hernia; working on jack screw	1	
Jerked off ground by trolley; head injury	1	
Inhalation of flames; gas explosion	1	
Struck by hatch beam aboard ship	1	
Struck by truck crank while cranking truck	1	
Overcome by heat in glass factory	1	
Sunstroke; while working in oil field	1	
Cutting-while working in meat market	1	
Killed by explosion of gas in refinery	1	
TOTAL		10
MACHINERY-		
Struck by lever on paper baler	1	
Struck by sheave on oil rig	1	
Struck by oil saver; swab blew out	1	
Caught in belt; no guard rail	1	
Caught in shaft on dryer machine	1	
Struck in stomach by timber being sawed	1	
TOTAL		6
SUFFOCATION-		
Cave in of trench; improper shoreing	1	
Due to cave in of sand pit	1	
Earth slide in gravel pit	1	
TOTAL		3

TOTAL INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

122

MISCELLANEOUS ACCIDENTAL FATALITIES

JULY	1930	33
AUG	1930	25
SEPT	1930	28
OCT	1930	25
NOV	1930	29
DEC	1930	35
JAN	1931	47
FEB	1931	26
MAR	1931	26
APR	1931	31
MAY	1931	34
JUNE	1931	<u>27</u>

TOTAL

366

MALE

239

FEMALE

127

TOTAL

366

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES

266

IN CO. OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY

138

OUTSIDE OF L.A. Co. DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO

2

TOTAL

366

AGES

Less than 1	year	15
1	to 2 years	16
2	to 5 years	19
5	to 10 years	28
10	to 20 years	40
20	to 45 years	83
45	to 65 years	79
65	and over	87
Age undetermined; decomposed		<u>1</u>

TOTAL
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCIDENTAL FATALITIES

NATURE

Animal injuries	2
Asphyxiation	26
Burns	74
Crushing	6
Drowning	61
Electrocution	2
Falls	118
Firearms	14
Head injuries	11
Infection	19
Miscellaneous	10
Poisoning	14
Strangulation	4
Suffocation	<u>5</u>

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CAUSES

ANIMAL INJURIES-	
Attacked by tiger in den; trespassing	1
Bitten by dog; rabies developed	1
ASPHYXIATION-	
Gas heater burning in closed room	13
Motor running in closed garage	7
Cyanide fumes; attaching hose to drum	1
Regurgitation; food lodged in larynx	1
Whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	3
Whether homicidal or accidental undetermined	1
BURNS-	
Clothing ignited from gas stove	20
Clothing ignited from electric stove	1
Clothing ignited from gasoline stove	1
Clothing ignited from grass fire	2
Clothing ignited from short circuit on auto	1
Clothing ignited from burning paraffine	1

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Clothing ignited from bon fire	3
Clothing ignited from lamp	1
Clothing ignited from candle	3
Clothing ignited from exploding gasoline	1
Clothing ignited from gas stove	2
Clothing ignited from cigarette	2
Clothing ignited while cleaning clothes	2
Clothing ignited from celluloid doll	1
Clothing ignited while sealing can of alcohol	1
Clothing ignited by burning celluloid comb	1
Clothing ignited by burning celluloid rattle	1
Blanket ignited by electric pad	1
Poured kerosene on wood fire	1
Playing with matches	3
Lighted match in gas filled room	3
Trapped in burning building	7
Baby fell into tub of hot water	4
Baby upset pot of hot coffee	1
Baby in tub, sister turned on hot water	1
Baby left in auto; auto burned	1
Scalded by bursted hot water pipe	1
Can of gasoline exploded by match	1
Explosion of kerosene lamp	1
Explosion of can of alcohol	1
Upset pan of hot water	1
Baby in tub, turned on hot water	1
Netting on baby's crib ignited by match	1
Unknown cause	1
CRUSHING-	
By tree felled by wind	1
By auto; jack collapsed	1
Caught in steam shovel	1
Caught in belt	1
Carbon tank exploded	1
Struck in stomach by surf board	1

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DROWNING-		
Swimming in Ocean	25	
Swimming in Plunge	3	
Swimming in reservoir	1	
Inability to swim	1	
Fell from yacht	1	
Fell from ship	1	
Fell from dock at harbor	1	
Fell from rock into Ocean	2	
Fell into reservoir while fishing	1	
Bathing while intoxicated	1	
Baby fell into fish pond	3	
Swimming in flooded gravel pit	1	
Fell into cess pool	2	
Fell into bath tub due to fainting	1	
Baby placed in tub; fell over in water	1	
Canoe capsized	2	
Playing on Beach	1	
Whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	13	61
ELECTROCUTION-		
Contact with electric heater while bathing	1	
Boy climbed high tension wire tower	1	2
FALLS-		
From cradle to floor	2	
Attempting to board standing street car	1	
From tree while playing	3	
From porch; old age	2	
From porch; tripped over object	1	
From porch while playing	1	
From ladder; intoxication	1	
From ladder making repairs	2	
From ladder while playing	1	
Down stairs; old age	9	
Down stairs; tripped over object	2	
Down stairs; intoxication	3	
Down stair well; trying to prevent suicide of another	1	

To floor; old age	24
To floor; tripped over object	5
To floor; intoxication	4
To floor; epileptic fit	1
To floor; oiled surface	1
To floor; due to fainting	1
To floor; from bed while playing	1
To floor from bed; old age	1
To floor from bed; invalid	1
To floor from bed; mentally deranged	1
To floor; attacking attendant at hospital	1
To wet bath room floor	3
Down embankment; nearly blind	2
Down embankment; during rain storm	1
Down embankment; intoxication	1
Down embankment; slipped in mud	1
From standing auto while playing	1
From roof; making repairs	3
From bicycle on steep grade	1
From bicycle; collision with another bicycle	1
From window; intoxication	1
From window; unknown cause	1
From fire escape while playing	1
From building fixing aerial	1
From building; washing windows	1
From building; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1
From platform; old age	1
From platform; slipped	1
From horse; inexperience in riding	1
To street; old age	5
To street; stricken with paralysis	1
To street; intoxication	2
To street; tripped over object	1

To ground during May Pole exercises	1	
To ground; while playing	1	
To ground; unknown cause	1	
Into pit; stepped backward	1	
While standing in bath tub	2	
From bridge; intoxication	1	
From bridge; unknown cause	1	
Through skylight; building under repair	1	
Down elevator shaft; cause unknown	1	
From box while playing	1	
Fell on tennis court	1	
Demented; jumped from window when alarmed at fire	1	
From cliff; while hunting goats	1	
Fell off stool at ice cream parlor	1	
Fell to pier while fishing	1	
FIREARMS-		
Careless handling	9	
By B.B. Rifle while playing	1	
While cleaning shot gun	1	
Whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	3	14
HEAD INJURIES-		
Fell from mothers arms while being bathed	1	
Application of forceps at birth	1	
Struck head on hydrant while playing	1	
Struck head with stone while playing	1	
Struck on head with handle of road scraper	1	
Unknown cause; baby	1	
Whether accidental or homicidal undetermined	3	
Whether accidental or suicidal undetermined	2	11
INFECTIONS-		
While playing ball; septicemia	1	
While playing ball; peritonitis	1	
Injured thumb; tetanus	1	
Sliver in finger; septicemia	1	

Needle in knee; septicemia	1	
Bruised arm; septicemia	1	
Tooth extraction; septicemia	1	
Bruised elbow ; septicemia	1	
Bruised buttocks; septicemia	1	
Bruised side; septicemia	1	
Scratched hand ; septicemia	1	
Unknown cause; septicemia	1	
Nail in foot; tetanus	2	
Sliver in knee; tetanus	1	
Struck in stomach; peritonitis	1	
Bruised leg; cellulitis	1	
Injured thumb; tetanus	1	
Infection; unknown cause	1	19
MISCELLANEOUS-		
Starvation; trying to cure stomach trouble	1	
Starvation; fasting	1	
Explosion anesthetic during operation	1	
Bruised leg; working in garden	1	
Inhalation of flames; cleaning clothes	1	
Exposure and exhaustion; wandered in hills	1	
Inhalation of chloroform; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Fracture of neck; dove into shallow water	1	
Rupture of artery; overstrain at work	1	
Unknown cause; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	10
POISONING-		
Child ate ant paste	1	
Child drank solution of cyanide	1	
Child ate arsenic placed on trees	1	
Took cyanide in mistake for medicine	1	
Overdose of veronal; addict	1	
Overdose of codine to induce sleep	1	
Overdose of alcohol and chloroform	1	

Drank cleaning fluid while intoxicated	1	
Ate canned vegetables; botulism	1	
Bitten by rattle snake	1	
Veronal; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Chloral hydrate; suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Bichloride of Mercury; suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Mercurial; suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	14
STRANGULATION-		
Entangled in rope while playing	1	
Screen on crib dropped on baby's throat	1	
Inhalation of regurgitated milk curd	1	
Strangled on piece of meat	1	4
SUFFOCATION-		
Food lodged in larynx	2	
Baby's face covered with bed clothing	2	
Face in pillow during epileptic fit	1	5

TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS FATALITIES

366

SUICIDES

JULY	1930	56	
AUG	1930	36	
SEPT	1930	44	
OCT	1930	29	
NOV	1930	54	
DEC	1930	38	
JAN	1931	57	
FEB	1931	33	
MAR	1931	34	
APR	1931	37	
MAY	1931	49	
JUNE	1931	<u>55</u>	
TOTAL			<u>522</u>
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MALE		395	
FEMALE		<u>127</u>	
TOTAL			<u>522</u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES		333	
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE L. A. CITY		<u>189</u>	
TOTAL			<u>522</u>
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AGES			
10	to 20 years	10	
20	to 45 years	213	
45	to 65 years	<u>220</u>	
65	and over	<u>79</u>	
TOTAL			<u>522</u>

SUICIDES

NATURE

ASPHYXIATION-	
Illuminating gas	40
Carbon monoxide	16
Hydrogen cyanide fumes	1
BURNS-	
Incineration	1
Jumped into tub of hot water	1
Set fire to clothing	1
Gas explosion	3
Cutting	20
Drowning	23
Explosion of dynamite	1
JUMPING-	
From bridge	6
From building	12
From cliff	2
From top of tunnel	2
From window	7
In front of street car	2
In front of train	1
POISONING-	
Ant paste	9
Arsenic	17
Bichloride of Mercury	14
Carbolic Acid	3
Chloroform	6
Cyanide	29
Formaldehyde	1
Hydro-cyanic acid	1
Lysol	8
Mercury	2
Mercury and Silver Salts	1
Nicotine (Black Leaf 40)	2
Paris Green	1
Phenol	1
Sheep Dip	1
Strychnine	20

SUICIDES

NATURE

Continued

Shooting 195

Strangulation 66

TOTAL

522

CAUSES

Ill health 121

Financial difficulties 58

Domestic difficulties 32

Love affair 16

Tired of life 31

Intoxication 9

Despondency 31

Despondency and intoxication 1

Despondent over illness 3

Despondent over separation from wife 3

Despondent over separation from husband 3

After committing murder 1

After murder of wife 5

After murder of son 1

After murder of wife and daughter 1

After murder of friend 4

After murder of sweetheart 4

After attempted murder of wife 3

After quarrel with sister 1

Temporarily deranged 23

Mentally deranged 38

Lack of employment 28

Melancholia 6

Jealousy 2

Fear of prosecution 13

SUICIDES

CAUSES

Continued	
Fear of insanity	5
Fear of blindness	1
Fear of deportation	1
Fear of arrest	2
Fear of poverty	3
Fear of being sent to Juvenile Hall	1
Grief over death of wife	3
Grief over death of husband	3
Grief over death of mother	1
Grief over death of son	2
Failure to succeed as poet	1
Delirious from pain	4
Loss of position	4
Breakdown due to overwork	1
Breakdown due to overstudy	1
Inability to secure employment	3
Failure to effect reconciliation with wife	1
Unrequited love affair	3
Unknown causes	44

TOTAL

522

HOMICIDES

JULY	1930	5
AUG	1930	8
SEPT	1930	9
OCT	1930	7
NOV	1930	13
DEC	1930	12
JAN	1931	16
FEB	1931	6
MAR	1931	10
APR	1931	11
MAY	1931	19
JUNE	1931	10

TOTAL	<u>126</u>
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MALE	97
FEMALE	29

TOTAL	<u>126</u>
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IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	80
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L.A. CITY	23
OUTSIDE OF L.A. CO. DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO	3

TOTAL	<u>126</u>
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AGES

Less than 1 year	1
1 to 5 years	2
5 to 10 years	3
10 to 20 years	7
20 to 45 years	88
45 to 65 years	20
65 and over	5

TOTAL	<u>126</u>
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HOMICIDES

CAUSES

Failure to effect reconciliation with wife	1
Shot by officer while resisting arrest	8
Love affair	5
During fight	10
Forcibly submerged in water	1
During hold up	7
During quarrel	1
During drunken brawl	6
Jealousy	11
During quarrel over repair bill	1
Intoxication	1
Trying to evade arrest	3
Self defense	8
Following bank robbery	2
Hired by husband to kill wife	1
Inhuman treatment by mother	1
After committing adultery	1
In defense of home	1
Following robbery	2
During robbery	4
Mentally deranged	1
Domestic difficulties	18
Neighborhood quarrel	1
Temporarily deranged	1
Presumably boot leg war	4
Presumably tong war	1
Mother placed unwanted baby in incinerator	1
Mistaken by officer for hold up man	1
Shot by Federal Officer while on rum runner	1
Careless handling of revolver; accidental	1
While displaying gun; accidental	1
While cleaning rifle	1
Shot by officer after attempting suicide	1
Unknown Causes	18

TOTAL

126

HOMICIDES

By known persons	68	
By unknown persons	19	
By husband	13	
By wife	4	
By father	4	
By mother	2	
By sister	1	
By Officer	15	
		<u>126</u>
Justifiable	29	
Unjustifiable	93	
Accidental	3	
Jury undecided	1	
		<u>126</u>

LOCATION OF HOMICIDES OUTSIDE OF COUNTY

San Bernardino County	1
Arizona	1
Mexico	1
TOTAL	<u>3</u>

ABORTIONS

JULY	1930	2	
AUG	1930	3	
SEPT	1930	2	
OCT	1930	1	
NOV	1930	3	
DEC	1930	2	
JAN	1931	3	
FEB	1931	8	
MAR	1931	2	
APR	1931	2	
MAY	1931	3	
JUNE	1931	2	
TOTAL			<u>33</u>

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	21
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	11
UNKNOWN LOCATION	1

TOTAL 33

AGES

10 to 20 years	6
20 to 45 years	27

TOTAL 33

CAUSES

Self induced	17
Induced by fall	1
Criminal by unknown person	3
Criminal by Physician	4
Whether self induced or criminal undetermined	4
Spontaneous	4

TOTAL 33

AEROPLANE FATALITIES

JULY	1930	5	
AUG	1930	1	
OCT	1930	5	
NOV	1930	2	
DEC	1930	2	
MAR	1931	5	
APR	1931	3	
MAY	1931	2	
JUNE	1931	0	
TOTAL			<u>25</u>

MALE	22	
FEMALE	3	
TOTAL		<u>25</u>

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	7	
IN CO OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	18	
TOTAL		<u>25</u>

Pilot	14	
Co-pilot	1	
Passenger	9	
Pedestrian	1	
TOTAL		<u>25</u>

Pleasure Plane	12	
Mail Plane	2	
Glider	2	
TOTAL		<u>16</u>

AGES			
10	to	20 years	2
20	to	45 years	22
45	to	65 years	1
TOTAL			<u>25</u>

AEROPLANE FATALITIES

CAUSES

Struck air pocket	2
Engine trouble	1
Side slipped	2
Following tail spin	5
Nose dive	3
Inexperienced pilot	1
Lost in fog; collided with mountain	2
Caught in wires while landing	1
Defective aileron	1
Collided with pole while testing glider	1
Pedestrian struck by propeller	1
Unknown causes; flying alone	5

TOTAL

25

ALCOHOLISM

Male	62	
Female	<u>7</u>	
TOTAL		<u>69</u>

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	65	
IN CO. OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	<u>4</u>	
TOTAL		<u>69</u>

AGES		
10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	34	
45 to 65 years	32	
65 and over	<u>2</u>	
TOTAL		<u>69</u>

UNKNOWN CAUSES		
After pathological and toxicological examination	29	
After toxicological examination	1	
Skeleton	2	
Body badly decomposed	<u>5</u>	
TOTAL		<u>37</u>

Male	25	
Female	11	
Skeleton (Sex undetermined)	<u>1</u>	
TOTAL		<u>37</u>

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	29	
IN CO. OF LOS ANGELES, OUTSIDE OF L. A. CITY	<u>8</u>	
TOTAL		<u>37</u>

AGES		
Less than 1 year	2	
5 to 10 years	1	
20 to 45 years	20	
45 to 65 years	11	
65 and over	2	
Unknown (Skeleton)	1	
TOTAL		<u>37</u>

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH
UPON WHICH
AUTOPSIES HAVE BEEN PERFORMED.

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Epidemic, Endemic and Infectious Diseases	82	58	140
General Diseases Not Included in Class I	126	61	187
Diseases of the Nervous System And Organs of Special Sense	57	47	104
Diseases of the Circulatory System	770	208	978
Diseases of the Respiratory System	103	53	156
Diseases of the Digestive System	50	45	95
Non-Venereal Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System and Annexa	93	55	148
The Puerperal State		13	13
Diseases of the Bones and Organs of Locomotion	2		2
Malformations	8	5	13
Early Infancy	12	3	15
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EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES

	MALE	FEMALE	Under one Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Measles	1			1					
Scarlet Fever		1		1					
Whooping Cough	1	1	2						
Diphtheria	3	2	1	3	1				
Influenza	7	5	1	5		3		2	1
Mumps	1				1				
Erysipelas		3				1	1	1	
Poliomyelitis	5	5	2	4	2	2			
Encephalitis*	2	1	1	1	1				
MeningococcusMeningitis		1			1				
Actinomycosis	1				1				
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	37	26	1	7	1	9	8	15	22
Tuberculous Meningitis	4	2		1	1	1	1	2	
Tuberculoma of Pons	1							1	
Tuberculosis of Spine		2		1				1	
Tubercular Salpingitis		1				1			
Generalized Miliary Tuberculosis	4	1	1	1		1			2
Syphilis	1	2	2						1
Luetic Aortitis	13	1				1	2	4	7
Syphilitic Encephalitis		2				1		1	
Syphilitic Meningitis		1		1					
Gonorrhea	1	1			1	1			
TOTAL	82	58	11	26	10	21	12	27	33

* Type Unde.

GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Cancers of the									
.Frontal Sinus	1								1
Salivary Gland		1							1
Esophagus	2								2
Liver	4								4
Stomach	7	3					1	3	6
Cecum	1								1
Intestines		4					2		2
Peritoneum	1								1
Ovary		2							2
Uterus		14						2	12
Buttock	1								1
Face		1							1
Brain	2	2				1	1	2	
Dura Mater		1							1
Ilium	1					1			
Kidney	3	1							4
Larynx	1								1
Leg	1							1	
Mediastinum		1							1
Neck	1								1
Pancreas	1	1							2
Parotid	1						1		
Penis	1								1
Pleura	2	1					1		2
Prostate	5						1	1	3
Skull		1	1						
Thyroid		2					1		1

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GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
General Carcinomatosis	2					1		1	
Rickets		1	1						
Diabetes Mellitus	4	1			1	1		1	2
Pernicious Anemia	1	5		1			1	3	1
Splenic Anemia	1								1
Hyperthyroidism	1	2				1			2
Status Thymico-Lymphaticus	17	7	10	12	2				
Splenotomy	1					1			
Chronic Lymphatic Leukemia		1				1			
Hodgkin's Disease	1							1	
Acute alcoholism from									
Ethanol	37	4				3	12	17	9
Methanol	19	1				1	4	9	6
Ethanol and Methanol	3	1						3	1
Chronic Alcoholism	3						2	1	
Obesity		1						1	
Pupura Hemorrhagica		2				1			1
TOTAL	126	61	12	13	3	12	27	46	74

DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM
AND OF
THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Abscess of Brain	1	1				1		1	
Pneumococcic Meningitis	2	1	1			1			1
Meningitis*		1	1						
Progressive Muscular Atrophy	1						1		
Cerebral Hemorrhage	28	21			4		4	11	30
Cerebral Infarction	1								1
Cerebral Thrombosis	1	1							2
Dementia Praecox		1						1	
Dementia O Undefined	1								1
Epilepsy	6	5			4	3	2		2
Cerebral Softening	1					1			
Glioma	1	3		1		1	1		1
Brain Tumor*	4	3			1		1	3	2
Paralysis Agitans		1							1
Chronic Mastoiditis	1	2				1			2
Otitis Media	9	7	6	6	1	1		2	
TOTAL	57	47	8	7	10	9	9	18	43

* Type Undetermined

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40, - 49 Years	50 And Over
Acute Pericarditis	5			1			1	1	2
Chronic Pericarditis	6			1			1	1	3
Acute Endocarditis	2	4		2	1			2	1
Chronic Endocarditis	60	39		1	2	11	13	13	59
Fatty Degeneration of the Heart	4	9						4	9
Cardiac Hypertrophy	6				1	1	1	1	2
Chronic Myocarditis	68	17					7	18	60
Ruptured Ventricle	32	11						1	42
Chronic Pancarditid	1	2					1		2
Ruptured Aneurysm of									
Aorta	25	11					2	4	30
Coronary Artery		1							1
Aneurysm of									
Aorta	4	2						1	5
Cerebral Artery	1						1		
Ruptured Aorta	2	4						1	5
General Arteriosclerosis	33	19						5	47
Atheroma of Aorta	6	1					3	2	2
Coronary Sclerosis	448	75				1	18	76	428
Pulmonary Embolism		4				1	1	1	1
Coronary Thrombosis	61	8				1	3	15	50
Mesentery Thrombosis	1								1
Pulmonary Thrombosis	1	1							2
Ruptured Esophogeal Varix	3							2	1
Ruptured Varix of Vena Cava	1								1
TOTAL	770	208		5	4	15	52	148	754

DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Ethmoidal Sinusitis	2				1		1		
Maxillary Sinusitis		1							1
Sphenoidal Sinusitis	1								1
Acute Laryngitis		1						1	
Acute Bronchitis	1	2	1	1		1			
Chronic Bronchitis	1							1	
Broncho-Pneumonia	32	29	37	14		1	2	2	5
Lobar Pneumonia	55	19		2	5	5	10	18	34
Septic Pneumonia	1							1	
Chronic Empyema	1								1
Pulmonary Gangrene	1						1		
Asthma	1								1
Chronic Pulmonary Emphysema	1								1
Anthracosis	2								2
Chronic Pulmonary Fibrosis	1						1		
Silicosis	2						2		
Pulmonary Abscess		1					1		
Pulmonary Hemorrhage*	1						1		
TOTAL	103	53	38	17	6	7	19	23	46

* Cause Undetermined

DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Abscessed Tooth	1	1		1				1	
Acute Pharyngitis		1		1					
Peritonsillar Abscess	1						1		
Tonsillectomy		4			1	2			1
Vincent's Angina	1							1	
Rupture of the Esophagus	1								1
Gastric Ulcer With									
Hemorrhage	1							1	
Peritonitis	2						1	1	
Duodenal Ulcer With									
Hemorrhage		1							1
Peritonitis	2	4				1		1	4
Chronic Dilatation of the Stomach	1							1	
Acute Colitis	2	2	1	2					1
Acute Gastro- Enteritis	5	2	3	4					
Appendicitis	4	6		2	3		1	4	
Herniotomy	1							1	
Strangulated Hernia	1								1
Intussusception	1		1						
Intestinal Obstruction	1	2				1		1	1
Intestinal Gangrene		1							1
Congenital Megacolon	2			1	1				
Acute Yellow Atrophy of the Liver		2	1				1		
Amyloid Liver	1								1
Cirrhosis of the Liver	12	12		1			2	7	14

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DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM - 2

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Chronic Cholelithiasis	1								1
Chronic Cholecystitis		4						1	3
Acute Hepatitis	5	2				2	1		4
Acute Hemorrhagic Pancreatitis	2						1		1
Ruptured Omental Abscess	1								1
Pelvic Adhesions		1				1			
Peritonitis*	1			1					
TOTAL	50	45	6	13	5	7	8	20	36

* Cause Undetermined

NON - VENEREAL DISEASES
OF THE
GENITO URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
NEPHRITIS									
Chronic Interstitial	69	29				1	2	6	89
Arteriosclerotic	7	8						1	14
Diffuse	3	5				1		1	6
Parenchymatous	6	3			1	1	1	1	5
Nephrectomy		1						1	
Chronic Pyelitis		1							1
Pyelonephritis	2	2	1				1	1	1
Rupture of the Bladder	1								1
Urethral Stricture	1								1
Chronic Prostatitis	3								3
Circumcision	1		1						
Acute Salpingitis		2			1		1		
Uterine Fibroid		1							1
Uterine Hemorrhage		1					1		
Hysterectomy		2				1			1
TOTAL	93	55	2		2	4	6	11	123

MISCELLANEOUS

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
THE PUERPERAL STATE									
Ruptured Ectopic Pregnancy		3				2	1		
Caesarean Section		3				2	1		
Dystocia		2			1		1		
Ruptured Uterus		2					2		
Septicemia		1					1		
Post-Partum Infection		1					1		
Cerebral Embolism		1				1			
DISEASES OF THE BONES ETC									
Osteomyelitis	2			1					1
MALFORMATIONS									
Congenital Hydrocephalus	1	1	1	1					
Interventricular Foramen of the Heart	3	1	2	1	1				
Reptilian Heart	1			1					
Patent Foramen Ovale	1	2	3						
Congenital Defect of Pelvis and Rectum		1	1						
Uranoplasty	1						1		
Congenital Urinary System	1		1						
EARLY INFANCY									
Inanition	5	1	6						
Cerebral Hemorrhage	6	1	7						
Atelectasis	1		1						
Umbilical Hemorrhage		1	1						
TOTAL	22	21	23	4	2	5	8		1

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH
INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Epidemic, Endemic and Infectious Diseases	31	34	65
General Diseases not Included in Class I	16	57	73
Diseases of the Nervous System And Organs of Special Sense	36	50	86
Diseases of the Circulatory System	158	184	342
Diseases of the Respiratory System	10	4	14
Diseases of the Digestive System	1	4	5
Non-Venereal Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System and Annexa	11	11	22
Miscellaneous	3	4	7
	266	348	614

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH
INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, and INFECTIOUS DISEASES									
Diphtheria	2	1		1		1	1		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	29	33		2	7	19	11	6	17
TOTAL	31	34		3	7	20	12	6	17

GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I									
Cancer of the									
Liver	2	7			1				8
Stomach	7	12				1		3	15
Colon	1	1							2
Duodenum		1							1
Intestine		2							2
Rectum	2	2					1		3
Uterus		8							8
Breast		20				1	2	2	15
Face	1								1
Neck		1							1
Femur		1			1				
Lung		1							1
Diabetes Mellitus	1	1					1		1
Acute Alcoholism	2								2
TOTAL	16	57			2	2	4	5	60

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH
INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE									
Encephalitis		1		1					
Spastic Spinal Paralysis	1			1					
Cerebral Hemorrhage	34	48				1	1	2	78
Epilepsy		1							1
Otitis Media	1							1	
TOTAL	36	50		2		1	1	3	79

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM									
Angina Pectoris	18	13							31
Chronic Endocarditis	16	29					1		44
Cardiac Hypertrophy	3			1					2
Chronic Myocarditis	97	128		1			2	8	214
General Arteriosclerosis	7	6							13
Coronary Sclerosis	17	8						1	24
TOTAL	158	184		2			3	9	328

DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM									
Broncho Pneumonia	8	3	6	4					1
Lobar Pneumonia	2	1		2					1
TOTAL	10	4	6	6					2

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH
INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	MALE	FEMALE	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM									
Gastric Ulcer		1						1	
Duodenal Ulcer		1							1
Gastro-Enteritis		1	1						
Intestinal Obstruction		1							1
Cirrhosis of the Liver	1							1	
TOTAL	1	4	1					2	2

NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY TRACT AND ANNEXA									
Chronic Interstitial Nephritis	10	10			1	2	1	1	15
Uremia		1							1
Hydronephrosis	1								1
TOTAL	11	11			1	2	1	1	17

MISCELLANEOUS									
Post Partum Hemorrhage		1					1		
Congenital Malform- ation of heart	1			1					
Patent Foramen Ovale	1		1						
Malnutrition	1	2	3						
Hemorrhage of Umbilicus		1	1						
TOTAL	3	4	5	1			1		

BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR CORONERS DEPARTMENT

FISCAL YEAR 1930 - 1931.

SALARIES AND WAGES

1	Coroner per annum	\$ 7,200.00
1	Chief Deputy	4,200.00
1	Asst, Chief Deputy	2,700.00
2	Inquest Deputies	5,220.00
1	Chief Clerk	2,400.00
6	Office Deputies	12,410.00
1	Inquest Clerk	2,040.00
3	Stenographic Reporters	7,085.00
1	Stenographic Secretary	1,800.00
2	Dictaphone Machine Operators	3,300.00
1	Assistant Typeing Clerk	1,380.00
1	Chief Autopsy Surgeon	6,000.00
2	Autopsy Surgeons	9,600.00
1	Assistant to Autopsy Surgeons	2,430.00
1	Chief Embalmer	2,700.00
4	Embalmers	9,340.00
9	Mortuary Attendants (Male)	15,290.00
1	Mortuary Attendant (Female)	1,740.00
1	Property Clerk	2,100.00
	Vacation and Sick Relief	<u>2,000.00</u>

TOTAL SALARIES AND WAGES

\$100,935.00

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

PERSONAL SERVICES OTHER THAN EMPLOYEES

Interpreting	\$ 300.00
Witness Fees and Mileage	500.00

SERVICES OTHER THAN PERSONAL

Auto Service	4,000.00
Laboratory Services	5,000.00
Meals and Lodging	50.00
Mileage Employees' Cars	2,000.00
Miscellaneous Services	200.00
Postage	150.00
Repairs to Equipment	500.00
Telegrams and Telephone	400.00
Transportation	200.00
Transportation Deceased Persons	<u>1,000.00</u>

SUPPLIES AND MATERIAL

Burial Boxes and Slabs	200.00
Embalming Supplies	6,000.00
Handwriting Supplies	50.00
Laboratory Supplies	800.00
Medical and Surgical Supplies	1,000.00
Miscellaneous Supplies	100.00
Other Office Supplies	300.00
Papers, Forms and Covers	1,000.00
Record Books	1,000.00
Viewing Room Supplies	<u>500.00</u>

TOTAL SALARIES AND WAGES - Forward

\$100,935.00

FIXED CHARGES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Burials of Unknown \$ 800.00

TOTAL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

\$ 26,050.00

CAPITAL OUTLAY

Autopsy Equipment	\$ 200.00
Embalming Equipment	200.00
Laboratory Equipment	300.00
Office Equipment	200.00
Other Equipment	150.00
Typewriters	<u>200.00</u>

TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY

1,250.00

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS

\$ 128,235.00

UNEXPENDED BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS

2,722.40

Salaries and Wages	\$ 1,046.27
Maintenance and Operations	1,567.15
Capital Outlay	<u>108.98</u>

TOTAL COST

\$ 125,512.60

REVENUES FROM FEES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES

Charges for Embalming	\$ 26,010.00
Transcript Fees	2,267.90
Civil Process Fees	33.75
Certificate Fees	<u>928.50</u>

29,240.15

TOTAL NET COST

\$ 96,272.45

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Estates of deceased persons	\$ 17,664.93
Litigants cash	68.50
Sale of transcript copies	2,267.90
Service of process fees	33.75
Care of body fees	26,010.00
County Clerks fees	<u>928.50</u>
TOTAL	46,973.58

SUMMARY OF DEPOSITS

WITH COUNTY TREASURER

TRUST FUND

Estates of deceased persons	17,664.93
Litigants cash	68.50

SALARY FUND

Sale of transcript copies	2,267.90
Service of process fees	33.75
Care of body fees	<u>26,010.00</u>

TOTAL DEPOSITED WITH COUNTY TREASURER

Deposited with County Clerk	<u>928.50</u>
TOTAL	46,973.58